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SUBJ: VISIT OF OPIC INSURANCE OFFICER JANE TROY

1. JANE TROY, OPIC INSURANCE OFFICER FOR AFRICA, REQUESTS
EMBASSIES' CONCURRENCE FOR VISIT TO SIERRA LEONE, ZAIRE, ZAMBIA&
LIBERIA TO DISCUSS OPIC PROGRAMS, AS WELL AS FOR GENERAL ORIENT-
ATION AND VISITS TO OPIC INSURED PROJECTS.

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WM TENTATIVE ITINERARY AS FOLLOWS:

11/24 AR. CASABLANCA (ON LEAVE), PAA 154.

11/29 LV. CASABLANCA, 2:00 P.M., BR 351.

11/29 AR. MONROVIA, 7:15 P.M.

12/1 LV. MONROVIA, RK 50, 9:50 A.M.

12/1 AR. KINSHASA, RK 50, 4:40 P.M.

12/7 LV. KINSHASA QC 62, 6:30 A.M.

12/7 ARM NAIROBI, QC 62, 1:25 P.M.

12/10 LV. NAIROBI, QZ 511, 3:40 P.M.

12/10 AR. LUSAKA, 5:30 P.M.

12/13 LV. LUSAKA, QZ 510, 9:50 A.M.

12/13 AR. NAIROBI, 1:40 P.M.

12/15 LV. NAIROBI, EC 963, 9:00 A.M.

12/15 AR. KINSHASA, 12:10 P.M.

12/16 LV. KINSHASA, QC 050 7:00 A.M.

12/16 AR. ABIDJAN, 12:20 P.M.

12/17 LV. ABIDJAN, WT 963, 11:40 A.M.

12/17 AR. FREETOWN, 2:15 P.M.

12/19 LV. FREETOWN, GHANA 543, 2:45 P.M.

12/19 AR. MONROVIA, 5:30 P.M.

12/21 LV. MONROVIA FOR N.Y., 11:25 P.M.

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EM FOR KINSHAS:

PLAN TO ACCOMPANY HARRY FREEMAN, OPIC V. P. FINANCE, IN KINSHASA. IN ADDITION, WOULD ALSO LIKE TO VISIT GOODYEAR TIRE PLANTS AND OTHER INSURED PROJECTS IN ZAIRE TO EXTENT FEASIBLE.

4. FOR LUSAKA:

IN ADDITION TO ORIENTATION, A PRIMARY PURPOSE FOR VISIT TO LUSAKA IS TO ASCERTAIN WHY ENVIROTECH UNABLE OBTAIN FOREIGN GOVERNMENT APPROVAL FOR THEIR RETAINED EAGNINGS INVESTMENT FOR EXPANSION THEIR FACILITY THERE, AND TO DISCUSS WITH EMBASSY DIFFICULTIES REPORTED BY PHELPS DODGE IN REMITTING FEES. PHELPS DODGE HAS INFORMALLY ADVISED OPIC THAT THEY MAY FILE INCOVERITIBILITY CLAIM. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY GUIDANCE ON ANY APPOINTMENTS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THESE TASKS.

5. FOR FREETOWN:

PLAN TO DISCUSS OPIC PROGRAMS WITH EMBASSY AS WELL AS ANY GOSL OFFICIALS DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY EMBASSY. OPIC HAS PENDING A REQUEST FOR POLITICAL RISK INSURANCE FOR THE RUTILE MINING PROJECT. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY BRIEFING ON STATUS OF THE PROJECT. AS TIME PERMITS, PLAN TO VISIT OPIC INSURED PROJECTS (SEABOARD FLOUR MILL, AND RALSTON PURINA FISH FREEZING FACILITY IN FREETOWN).

6. FOR MONROVIA:

ALTHOUGH TIME IN LIBERIA WILL BE LIMITED, I HOPE TO VISIT OPIC INSURED UNIROYAL RUBBER PLANTATION. WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING YOUR COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS ON FEASIBILITY OF VISIT ON DECEMBER 20. PLEASE CONFIRM HOTELRESERVATION AT ROBERTSFIELD HOTEL FOR NIGHTS NOVEMBER 29 AND 30. PLEAS MAKE HOTEL RESERVATION MONROVIA FOR NIGHTS DECEMBER 19 AND 20.

7. FOR RABAT, CASABLANCA, ABIDJAN AND NAIROBI:

PLAN VACATION IN MOROCCO NOVEMBER 24 THRU NOVEMBER 29. DUE TO AIR SCHEDULES WILL STOP OVER ABIDJAN AND NAIROBI. PLEASE CONFIRM HOTEL RESERVATION AT HOTEL IVOIRE IN ABIDJAN NIGHT OF UNCLASSIFIED

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DECEMBER 16 AND AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL IN NAIROBI NIGHTS DECEMBER 7 THRU 9 AND DECEMBER 13 AND 14.

8. IN VIEW OF SHORT TIMING, REQUEST CONCURRENCE AND COMMENTS ON PROPOSED TRIP ASAP TO STATE WITH INFO TO RABAT AND CASABLANCA.

9. REQUEST KINSHAS, FREETOWN AND LUSAKA TO OBTAIN HOTE RESERVATIONS PER ITINERARY. INGERSOLL

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